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## Mt. Taylor Ranger District's Personal Use Firewood Season Opens

**Grants, NM** – **July 22, 2013.** The 2013 firewood cutting season has opened on the Mt. Taylor Ranger District of the Cibola National Forest. The season will run through December, 15, 2013, weather permitting.

The cost for a personal use permit will be \$10 per cord (two-cord minimum) for any dead/down and dead standing wood, except for oak. The cost to collect dead and down oak is \$20 per cord. There is an 8-cord limit per household per year for all types of wood.

Permits can be purchased at the following locations:

• Mt. Taylor Ranger District Office

1800 Lobo Canyon Road; Grants, New Mexico; Phone: 505.287.8833 **Hours:** Weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to noon; and 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

• Fort Wingate Administrative Site

Ft. Wingate, New Mexico: Phone: call Mt. Taylor RD at 505.287.8833 **Hours:** Tuesdays from 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

• Northwest New Mexico Visitors Center

1900 E. Santa Fe Ave.; Grants, New Mexico; Phone: 505.876.2783 **Hours**: Saturdays & Sundays from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please call ahead to ensure someone is available. Phone: 505.876.2783

Cibola National Forest and Grasslands Supervisor's Office

2113 Osuna Rd. NE; Albuquerque, New Mexico; Phone: 505.346.3900 **Hours**: Weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Visitors are also reminded that motor vehicle use is permitted only on routes designated for motorized travel. Please contact the Mt. Taylor Ranger District at 505.287.8833 for additional information.

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